

## BOMBER ADMITS WALL STREET PLOT

FARMER SAYS HE  
TRIED TO AVOID  
KILLING McNUTTCharles Dugan Tells Story  
Of Shooting to Justice  
Brown Today

## SELF DEFENSE, PLEA

Witnesses Stand Firm In  
Testimony that Threats  
Had Been Made

Charles Dugan told his own story before Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown this afternoon as his preliminary on a charge of murder, growing out of the shooting late Sunday of George McNutt, a neighbor farmer of near Lula, was coming to a close.

Indications at 3 o'clock this afternoon were that the preliminary would close before court adjourned tonight.

Dugan asserted in positive testimony that he was making an effort to elude McNutt, who he said, was dismounting from his horse at the door of C. C. Myers' house, in which Dugan was hiding to avoid trouble. As Dugan fled from the kitchen door with the intention of following a small ravine away from the house, he declared, McNutt came around the corner with murderous threats on his lips.

As he dismounted, Dugan fired, then took the gun into Myers' house and told what he had done. Self defense was his plea.

The state opened its testimony shortly after 10 o'clock this morning and when Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown called for a recess at noon, about six witnesses had been placed on the stand by Asst. County Attorney Hugh F. Mathis.

Myers Leading Witness.  
C. C. Myers, at whose home near Lula the shooting occurred, said he had known both the men for several years and explained that Dugan was his adopted son-in-law. Sunday afternoon, he said, Dugan came to his home northwest of Lula, about 7 o'clock. He had scarcely begun to relate his troubles with McNutt when McNutt was seen approaching the Myers house.

Dugan, according to Myers' testimony, fled to the kitchen, telling Myers to "tell him I'm not here—I don't want any trouble with him." Myers said McNutt rode up near the front door of the house and was in a boisterous mood. He demanded to see Dugan but was told that the man he sought was not there. Again he demanded that Dugan come out and Myers repeated his assurance that he was not in the house. Then, with an oath, according to Myers, the enraged man thrust his hand into the front of his shirt and declared:

"If he don't come out now, I'll come back tomorrow and kill the whole d—n outfit."

Threats Repeated.  
Several times, according to Myers' testimony, McNutt threatened to kill Dugan, once asserting that "I have something here to do it with" as he reached into his shirt. He did not produce a gun.

After these alleged threats, McNutt wheeled his horse toward the kitchen door of the house and was dismounting when the report of a shot-gun rang out. McNutt fell heavily to the ground and remained there without moving. His horse fled into a pasture nearby where it remained saddled all night. No body touched the dead man, Myers said.

Soon Dugan came into the house declaring "I hated to do it but had to," the witness said. He then went back to his home to report the happening to his wife. Later, Dugan returned to Myers' house announcing his purpose of going to Lula to call and surrender to Sheriff Bob Duncan.

Luther Dugan, 13 year old son of Charles Dugan, was placed on the stand this morning and substantiated much of his father's story. D. J. Farris, a neighbor of the two Lula farmers, gave short testimony.

Monroe McNutt, 15 year old son of the dead man, said he saw his father leave home about 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon and later saw his gray horse standing at Dugan's house for a period of about 3 hours.

Monroe said the only fire-arms kept at their house was a shot-gun. He asserted upon cross examination that his father owned no revolver.

Deputy Sheriff Henry Whitson was another witness for the state this morning. He told briefly the story of going to Lula Sunday night and arresting Dugan upon the latter's request, after the shooting of McNutt.

Cupid Renews His  
Attack on Hearts  
After Short Rest

"Do your Christmas shopping early," was changed Friday to "Do your Christmas shopping now" by five pairs of marriage license seekers who stormed the county court clerk's office for permits to wed. This opened the usual rush upon the county marriage bureau that precedes the holiday, clerks in the office said.

Licenses were issued Friday to the following couples:  
Q. E. Northcutt, 38, Ada, and Miss Ottilie May Manuel, 18, Stonewall.

Joe N. Sawyer, 38, Ada, and Miss Elma Adams, 26, Stratford.

J. J. Sawyer, 18, Ada, and Miss Voda Dyer, 18, Ada.  
Jim Stagner, 27, Center, and Miss Manila Karnes, 22, Center.

Henry M. Baxter, 26, Kenefick, Okla., and Miss Ella Harrison, 23, Stonewall.

More wedding permits were issued Friday than were recorded in the entire week preceding. After one license last Monday, business of this department completely died until yesterday, giving a hint to the court clerk's force that Cupid had taken his holiday at an unusual season.

TWO ADA TEAMS  
FACE VISITORSKonawa Boy and Girl Cagers  
Here to Contest Local  
Teams Tonight

Both boys and girls are to play on the high school basketball court this evening, when the teams from Konawa arrive for the first game here this season.

The games tonight will not be conference games, but those in charge declared they would be as interesting as a conference game, as both visiting teams are reported to be in good condition for putting up a hard fight.

The Konawa boys' team has won six out of seven games and is coming to Ada with the advantage of experience and team work. Dope on the visitors is to the effect that they are exceptionally strong on offense. Cox will endeavor to keep his men playing on offense as much as possible, thus keeping the visitors in defense array for the most part.

Coach Felix, coaching the High school girls' team, reports the girls have "come to" and are showing up in excellent form for the game tonight. Their previously reported "football tactics" have been deserted and real basketball is being featured. They expect to make a decisive showing tonight. Cox had his men on the field last night playing the Business college and is well pleased with their showing.

Wilsey and Rayburn at forwards have both started showing some speed and accuracy in handling the ball. Potts and Molloy are continuing to play good games at guards. It was largely due to their stellar playing last night that prevented the team from being defeated by a larger score.

Cox Has Confidence.  
Mentor Cox is placing considerable confidence in these men tonight, expecting them to hold the visitor's side of the score as low as possible. His substitutes are showing daily improvement and the contest for places on the teams is beginning to grow, causing each man to keep on his toes to hold his place. No captain of the team has yet been selected.

Miller at forward and Anders at center will play for the boys from Konawa. The remainder of the lineup is of boys who have seen much experience on the court. The visiting girls team is practically new to the game, this being their first year to start an out of county schedule. They have enough experience, however, to make things interesting to the Felix machine, Dope shows.

Lineup—Boys.  
Konawa Pos. Ada  
Miller F. Wilsey  
Gordon F. Rayburn  
Anders C. Gregg  
Jones G. Potts  
Bates G. Molloy  
Substitutes: Konawa: Townsend, Burnett, Ada: Wright, King, Van Eaton.

Girls.  
Konawa Pos. Ada  
Thetis Jones RF. Mozelle Sloan  
Gladys Jones LF. Inez Love  
Geneva Miller JC. Pearl Harrison  
Nannie Ragland RC. Eva Lasater  
Mayme Johnson RG. Grace Mooney  
Kate Wooding LG. Magdalen Reed  
Game will be called at 7:30 in the High school gym.

"NO WONDER WE NEVER GIT NOTHIN' F'R CHRIS'MAS, SIS—SANTA CLAUS IS ONLY A STORE WINDOW DUMMY"

Alleged Threat To  
Kill To Be Aired  
In Justice Court

The preliminary hearing of Lester Bloomenkemper, charged in separate complaints of carrying a gun and threatening to kill, scheduled to be heard Friday by Justice of the Peace W. H. Fisher, was postponed until next Monday because of the fact that many important witnesses were unable to be present.

Charges against Bloomenkemper grew out of an alleged quarrel and shooting fray in which he and S. Shinn, a mechanic, are said to have engaged several nights ago near the Holley drug store. Bloomenkemper, the complaint alleges, stepped upon the running board of Shinn's car and made threatening remarks which drew a shot from Shinn's revolver as Bloomenkemper retreated.

The defendant is said to have been injured several years ago when he fell while working on a stand-pipe here.

Edward Jenner was the successful introducer of smallpox inoculation.

Buy Tuberculosis Christmas Seals.

## HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

LAW ME! DOCTUH CHARGE  
ME TEN DOLLARS WEN  
HE X-RAY MAH FOOT—  
--UH-RUH--! AH SEES  
NOW WHUT DAT 'AR  
'X' STAN' FUH IN DAT  
X-RAY!!!!



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Oklahoma Weather

Tonight fair, not so cold in north-west portion; Sunday fair, rising temperature.

ALLIES DEMAND  
PAYMENT DATESGermany Must Fix a Time  
When She Can Meet Her  
Reparations.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—The Allied reparations commission has refused to consider Germany's request for an extension of time on her January and February reparations payments until the German government tells just when she can pay these installments and gives other information demanded. This developed when the text of the commission's note to the German government was made public today.

The reply expressed surprise that Germany failed to tell exactly what foreign exchange she would be able to deal with, what delays she desired and what guaranty she would offer meanwhile. Until these details are furnished it will be impossible to consider, or even examine, the request of the German government, the note declares.

The commission expresses regret that Germany had not replied to its previous queries as to what action she proposed to take regarding the commission's suggestion for balancing the budget, preventing the exportation of German capital and measures to obtain foreign exchange from German holders. The German government was taken to task in the note for this situation.

Panhandle Has Big  
Temperature Drop  
Says Bureau Today

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 17.—A cold wave made itself felt over Oklahoma last night and early today and resulted in a big drop in temperature in nearly all sections. The panhandle section experienced the lowest temperature, 12 and 18 above zero, according to the weather bureau here. Altus reported 22 and Oklahoma City 25, and Muskogee 29.

The only part of the state to receive any of the forecasted "rain turning to snow" was the extreme eastern section, where there was light rains or snow flurries, it was announced at the weather bureau. Muskogee reported .04 inch precipitation.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

Dallas Man Charged  
With Embezzlement  
May Be from Here

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 17.—J. Frank Lilly, former New York broker, who is said to be wanted by authorities of that city for embezzlement of approximately \$1,000,000 from clients of the J. Frank Lilly Brokerage company, was arrested by Sheriff Dan Hartson Friday at the union terminal station as he was preparing to board a train for Houston.

This is thought to be the same J. Frank Lilly who at one time was a professor in the East Central Normal. If it is the same, he went from Ada to Chicago, from Chicago to New York where he formed a brokerage company and was said to have established a thriving business. He was well known in Ada while a resident of the city. He came to Ada from Tishomingo where he was county superintendent of schools.

LEGION MEETS MONDAY  
TO SELECT OFFICERS

Norman Howard post of the American Legion will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock in the district court room for the annual election of officers. It is important that all members be present.

BUSINESS SQUAD  
RISES IN RANKSCollege Cagers Grab Fast  
Battle From Ada High  
and Make Advance.

The Business college won its first game in the city basketball league last night by defeating the High school by a score of 28 to 23. At the end of the first half, the College had the advantage by a majority of 8 points. This lead was increased at the beginning of the second half but the College fell prey to a stiff offensive of the High school in the last few minutes.

Newcomb, for the Business college played a star game, netting 9 field goals. Honors of the High school team were divided among the several players. Wilsey, fast forward of the High school, was at his best getting 60 percent of the free goals he tried. Pugh, for the Business college got 80 percent of the free goals he tried. Molloy and Potts played well at guard, while Dew and Oliver for the College fell back to the assistance of their center Branscome. He did well at defensive.

The High school team was slow in getting started and too many football tactics were called into use by both teams. Only in a few instances did the teams resort to team work in passing the ball, for the most part each man relying on his own ability to shoot a goal.

Lineup.  
Business College Pos. High School  
Newcomb F. Wilsey  
Pugh F. Cox  
Branscome C. Gregg  
Olivo G. Potts  
Dew G. Molloy  
Substitutions: Cox for Potts, Rayburn for Cox, Wright for Gregg.

Summary: Field goals: Business college—Newcomb 9, Pugh 3. High school—Cox 1, Wilsey 2, Rayburn 2, Gregg 3, Potts 1; free goals, Wilsey 3 out of 5, Rayburn 1 out of 1; Newcomb 0 out of 2, Pugh 4 out of five.

Standing of the Teams.  
Team Won Lost Pct.  
Teachers College 3 0 1.000  
Cement Plant 2 1 .667  
Ada News 1 2 .334  
Batterly F 1 2 .334  
High School 1 2 .334  
Business College 1 2 .334  
The High school dropped from third place to a tie for fourth place, while the Business College advanced from sixth place to a tie for fourth place. Four teams are now tied for fourth place.

Radical changes are likely to be made next Monday night when the Teachers college and Cement plant tangle and the High school and the Ada News battle on the college gym court. Games Monday night will be the sixth date of the city league. The week following Christmas will see the winner of the first half prizes.

Mrs. Wilson H. Lane has been called to Guthrie to attend the bedside of her mother who is quite ill.

## NOTICE MASONS

Call meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, A. F. & A. M. tonight at 6:30. Work in E. A. degree. Officers urged to be on time.

F. R. Laird, W. M.

LINDENFIELD IS  
CAPTURED AFTER  
YEAR'S PURSUITRecord of Secret Service  
Hunt for Foreigner Is  
Like Fiction.

## ONCE U. S. DETECTIVE

Famous Criminal Arrested  
At Warsaw Was Brains  
of Many Plots.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The arrest in Warsaw of Wolfe Lindenfield will clear up all mysteries of the Wall Street explosion of September 16, 1920, it was stated positively today by William J. Burns, head of the department of justice bureau of investigation.

Lindenfield, whose arrest was reported to the department by Associated Press, was described by Mr. Burns as the key to the solution of the mystery and the "only man that we know in the world that knows all about it."

Mr. Burns declared that Lindenfield himself was not implicated in the explosion, one of the worst tragedies in the history of New York, but was so close to the radical elements who were perpetrators of it that he knew all about it. The Third Internationals, Mr. Burns said, was the moving spirit behind the plot.

He Probed Explosion.

Lindenfield, according to Mr. Burns, went abroad on behalf of the justice department to obtain information which would lead to the arrest of those responsible for the explosion. When no reports were received from him, Mr. Burns said, Silvester Cosgrove, one of the department agents, was sent to find out why Lindenfield was not sending the information promised and the arrest followed.

Radicals in Europe, as well as in the United States, Mr. Burns asserted, were under surveillance by the department for suspected connection with the explosion and if the information to be obtained from Lindenfield proves to be as expected, arrests are in immediate prospect.

(By the Associated Press)

WARSAW, Dec. 17.—Plots and counter-plots, reading like a chapter from fiction, were involved in the search for clues in many parts of Europe by an American secret service agent which resulted in the arrest here yesterday of Wolfe Lindenfield, alias William Inde, in connection with the Wall Street bomb explosion in New York on September 16, 1920.

Lindenfield has fully confessed, authorities say, naming the ring leaders in the plot which he declares was aimed at J. P. Morgan, the infernal machine exploding prematurely.

According to Silvester Cosgrove, and Paul Altendorf, who arrested Lindenfield, the suspect has named five participants in the plot, now in Europe, who received \$30,000 from the Moscow Third International through New York communists. Lindenfield has declared his willingness to return to New York as soon as possible and turn state's evidence. Polish authorities say he was expelled in 1916 as a Russian secret service agent and fled to America at that time, returning to Europe last spring.

Altendorf came to Europe in February last, while Lindenfield came over in March. During the summer Altendorf, living in various communist centers, obtained a clue which caused him to seek Lindenfield's acquaintance. As a result, Cosgrove arrived in Warsaw two months ago, posing as having connections with communist groups in America and was introduced to Lindenfield as Altendorf. After establishing his acquaintance, Cosgrove submitted to Lindenfield a scheme whereby, by giving information regarding the Wall Street explosion, he could receive a large share of the reward offered for the arrest of the plotters, without risking himself.

Through these operations by the American secret service man, Polish operatives shadowed Lindenfield, and the Polish claim, while Lindenfield was permitted to play into Cosgrove's hands, he was at the same time double crossing the American.

## Deported From Mexico.

In August, 1919, a man giving his name as Dr. Paul Altendorf, claiming to be an American citizen, was deported from Mexico as an "undesirable foreigner." In a long statement he declared that Ger-

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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

**SAFE STEPS:**—The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord; and he delighteth in his way. Pm. 37:23.

## CONGRATULATIONS.

The News extends congratulations to the workers in the Chamber of Commerce drive, which ended successfully last afternoon. Many citizens who have not hitherto taken a part in the activities of the body have become members and will be given an opportunity to work. This means that more nearly every part of the city will be represented, and the Chamber will become an even greater force for progress than it has been in the past.

In this drive men who have not taken a leading part in civic affairs worked day after day, and they have caught the spirit of service. As we see it, this new blood added to the old means new life, new ideas and greater results. The four hundred members will give a membership large enough to keep all activities going at one time without working one or two or a dozen men too much.

Ada, we believe, is on the eve of a great boom, a boom industrially and spiritually. We believe the citizens themselves have greater faith in themselves and in the city. We believe they have caught a spirit of service and fellowship that can have only one effect and that is the making of a Ada a better and a larger city. We extend congratulations not only to the workers, but to the entire city.

The growers of long staple cotton in Arizona are said to be demanding a duty of 30 cents per pound on similar cotton imported. Of course the short lint growers in the rest of the country would have to pay their part of the increased price that the long staple men would get, but that is the way the tariff works, anyway. In fact, aside from the revenue feature, which is only incidental, the aim of a high tariff is to fill the pockets of the Eastern manufacturers at the expense of the rest of the nation. The Arizona cotton growers would like to have a slice of the pie, but when the leaders are heard from they will find themselves in the same boat with the Oklahoma oil men who contributed liberally to the Republican campaign fund, voted for a change, got it, asked for their reward in the shape of a tariff that would keep out Mexican oil and received the jolt of their young lives in being told there was nothing doing. The only reasonable explanation of their treatment is that Standard oil has a big interest in Mexico and did not want its product barred. Just a case of the bare cupboard.

Nothing has been heard of the result of the investigation made of the Ku Klux by a congressional committee some weeks ago. That is a fair sample of congressional investigations, anyway—just a lot of fuss and feathers and the people foot the bill. As a matter of fact the Republicans have made about two dozen investigations of various matters, since assuming power, but not a single thing has resulted from any of them.

The News hopes to see the biggest exhibit on record when the Pontotoc County Poultry Association holds its annual show in January. This organization has done good work in its several years of existence and as a result there are some good fowls in the county at this time. The interest in this line has steadily increased and more chickens and eggs are marketed now than ever before. The poultry industry in the United States amounts to millions of dollars annually and Pontotoc county should get its share.

The Farm and Ranch states that the poultry industry of Texas outranks dairying as a money producer. The humble hen is a steady worker and the eggs foot up a big total in course of a year. It is like the old verse we used to hear about "little drops of water, little grains of sand make the mighty ocean and the land."

Down at Houston, Texas, a judge issued an injunction forbidding a woman from gossiping about her next door neighbors who had been the object of her verbal attacks for sometime. In the days of the Puritans of New England they ducked gossips in the creek.

The Sulphur High School has some enterprising young folk. In the last issue of the Democrat the staff of the high school annual carried a notice to the Ku Klux soliciting a page ad for the annual and quoting rate on same.

The Ardmoreite observes that in place of a buy-a-bale campaign in 1914 when cotton was low, it is now hire-a-man to relieve the unemployment problem. Where it is possible to give a man employment the problem is solved to that extent.

## IF HE GETS HIS FAVORITE BOATS BACK THE CONFERENCE WILL NOT HAVE BEEN IN VAIN—FOR CHINA!



## The Forum of the Press

### Making Christmas Fireproof.

Wichita Daily Times  
Too often the Christmas season, which should be a season of unmixt cheer and happiness, is changed into one of tragedy and sorrow in many communities through tree fires. The highly inflammable evergreen trees and decorations or the cotton beard of a thinly disguised Santa Claus frequently light from a lighted candle or match and serious results ensue.  
The Times believes it can make no better contribution to Safety Week than to print instructions sent out by the National Board of Fire Underwriters for making Christmas fireproof. These instructions begin with the setting up of the Christmas tree and we quote them as follows:  
"In the first place the tree should be set up securely so that it will not easily topple over, and it should be located several feet away from any heating or lighting fixture. Metal tinsel with flake asbestos and powdered mica make excellent materials for snow effects and will not burn. Cotton and paper, on the other hand, are highly dangerous. The tree should never be illuminated with candles. There is some danger from the widely sold colored electric light and noise due to insufficient insulation and other causes, but the hazard is small beside that of the lighted candle."  
"On one recent occasion a woman living in a New York apartment climbed upon a chair to light the candles on a large Christmas tree in order to entertain her little daughter and a neighbor's child. While reaching for a candle at the top of the tree, she accidentally touched her lighted match to a colored paper chain, which blazed up and ignited other decorations. The woman tried to snatch some of the burning papers off the branches, but lost her balance and fell against the tree, pushing it over on the floor. When she regained her feet her dress was on fire and she ran, screaming, out into the hall of the apartment house, fanning the flames until she became a living torch. Aid came too late and she succumbed to the flames."  
"Ornaments should be of metal and not of paper or pyroxylin plastic, which is commonly known as celluloid, pyralin, French ivory and by other trade names. Pyroxylin plastic is extremely inflammable and will ignite at a comparatively low temperature."  
"Smokers should exercise great care with their matches and smoking materials, and parents should see that all matches are kept in metal or china containers out of reach of the youngsters."  
"Toys involving the use of alcohol gasoline or kerosene should be avoided and low-priced electrical playthings should be viewed with suspicion since they often are insecurely wired and flimsily constructed."

HUGO—Hugo probably will have a municipal judge within a short time, it was learned here, following an executive session of the city council in which the matter is said to have been discussed. For several years the mayor of Hugo has been acting as magistrate.

Hollanders exterminated the Dodo on the island of Mauritius in the seventeenth century.

## INDIA RIPE FOR PROHIBITION, IS PUSSYFOOT IDEA

(By the Associated Press)  
CALCUTTA, Dec. 17.—William E. ("Pussyfoot") Johnson, American prohibition worker, told the members of the Rotary Club here that his impression after an extensive tour of the country, is that India is more ripe for prohibition than America was five years ago.

Mr. Johnson was the principal guest of the club at its tiffin meeting where he was subjected to a good natured bombardment of questions.  
Describing his reception in India which has been an enthusiastic one, Mr. Johnson said he had been welcomed because he represented a crusade that appealed to the people of India.

"In the districts I have visited in the past few weeks," he said, "I have been entertained by every class, from the Viceroy and the native princes downwards, and only on a single occasion—at Patna several days ago—did I hear an Indian stand up to oppose prohibition."  
"It was at Patna that I witnessed a remarkable demonstration in support of a 'dry' India, a great crowd of nearly 5,000 at the request of

## THE MAN WITHOUT A JOB

The dawn creeps up, and 'twixt that and the hour  
When busy men all rise and hasten to their work,  
There drags an endless stretch; some unseen power  
Seems in the shadows of the room to lurk.

No catching of that restful nap that one  
Who has work steals when he has waked too soon;  
No planning o'er the tasks that must be done  
Before the noisy midday break of noon.

He rises from his bed when the swift stir  
Has reached its fullest tide; he knows the sound;  
Faintly he hears the factory whistles—knows the whir  
Of belted wheels now have begun their round.

He counts his pence; they'll meet that one day's need;  
He shrinks within his soul at thought again  
He must that vortex face where grasp and greed  
Make man scarce brother to his fellow-man.

What of the morrow, should the day not bring  
Some work? Must then this ancient pride  
Lie in dust, and must he feel the sting  
Of poverty that can no longer hide?

For such as these, dear God, we humbly pray;  
Let none their souls of Hope's blest radiance rob;  
Help them to face the anxious, workless day;  
Dear God, remember him without a job?

—Modeste Hannis Jordan in New York Times.

the chairman voting on the question by a show of hands. So far as I could see, every hand in the audience—and in some instances both—was raised immediately in favor of prohibition, and not a solitary hand against.

"I might mention also, the wonderful gathering we had in a theater at Baroda—with an audience of more than three thousand—at which a speaker was loudly hissed for a reference to nonco-operation, but cheered with wild enthusiasm

a few minutes later when he declared that the taxpayers of India would be only too willing to meet the additional taxation that may be necessary after prohibition.

"I would like to say," he concluded, "that I have not met a single British official who has not gone out of his way to be kind to me."

Dr. Spence, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. Glasses fitted. Shaw Bldg., Ada Okla. 11-16-17

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Ada cut glass at Sprague's, 123 West Main St. 12-16-2td

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Call Thomas Motor Co. for battery service. Phone 163-212 West 12th. 11-28-tf

Mrs. E. S. Adams of Allen is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Patterson of South Francis avenue.

Gold encrusted emblem rings at Sprague's, 123 West Main St. 12-16-2td

Orange Blossom Wedding rings at Sprague's, 123 West Main St. 12-16-2td

A special lot of coats and dresses at good values have just arrived at Burk's Style Shop. 12-17-2t

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-tf

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Ask your grocer for White Frost soft wheat flour, that satisfying pastry flour. 11-17-1mo

Five reel feature and two reel comedy for 10 cents at the Liberty today and tomorrow. 12-14-4t

Several pairs of the best shoes and slippers closing out at \$2.95.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-tf

Special on ladies and children's house slippers \$1.45 and \$95c.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Thompson of Pawhuska are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Verrees of East Twelfth street.

The ideal Xmas gift is a Eureka with a free set of attachments. Consumers Appliance Co. 12-20td

Buy her a charming silk dress. All new novelties, Canton crepe and Rashnara crepe—chamuse or satin.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will give a weighing party, tonight at the church rooms. All members of the society and their friends have been invited.

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-tf

Make her happy with a new blouse, a clever little choker of Stone Martin, Natural Fitch, Mink, etc., or a box of beautiful silk hose.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

Moonshine Anti-Freeze for your car can't be frozen.—Ada Service and Filling Station. 12-8-1mo

Thomas Motor Co., authorized Gould Battery sales and service, Phone 163-212 West 12th. 11-29-tf

We loan you a battery free of charge while we repair your battery, all work guaranteed in writing.—Kit Carson, Phone 124, 119 North Broadway. 9-15-1mo

Our service includes skillful repair work on all makes of batteries, you can rely on reasonable advice and reasonable prices here.—Kit Carson, Phone 124, 119 North Broadway. 9-15-1mo

Mrs. T. H. Carruth and son, Arthur, who came here to spend the holidays with Mrs. Carruth's mother, Mrs. J. A. Harden, received a message calling them home and left yesterday for Helena, Arkansas. They were accompanied as far as Haldenville by Mrs. R. O. Lawrence.

If the person who took my Winchester Pump shotgun from the parking on the south side of my house Friday evening between 5 and 6 o'clock will return it to me, I shall thank him. If it was taken with the intention of keeping, I suggest that it be returned at once and no questions will be asked. Please act quick, or the officers will be notified. Frank Meaders, 52 South Broadway. 12-17-1t

## Rowzee Named Head of Ada Commandery For the Next Year

T. W. Rowzee was elected Eminent Commander of Ada Commandery No. 16, Knights Templar, at the annual selection and installation of officers last night.

Other new officers for the Ada Commandery are: J. C. Deaver, Generalissimo; L. S. Chilcutt, Captain General; D. W. Swaffar, Exalted Prelate; Lee Daggs, Senior Warden; W. P. Lee, Junior Warden; B. M. Bobbitt, Treasurer; F. C. Sims, Recorder; R. C. Garrett, Standard Bearer; E. C. Peap, Sword Bearer;

## FROM SWIMMING TO FIDDLING IS FAR CRY, BUT SHE DOES BOTH



Miss Irene Guest in swimming pose and playing her violin.

## MANY TEACHERS ON MEMBERSHIP ROLLS OF C. OF C.

A study of the membership in Ada's new Chamber of Commerce which went over the top at the close of the drive yesterday shows the interesting fact that educational forces of the city are well represented in the new organization.

Twenty teachers and supervisors of the college, the high school and the grade schools are listed in the membership. And that this is not the end is indicated by the statement of Principal A. L. Fentem this morning that three more of his teachers are planning to take out membership.

The list to date includes: J. E. Hickman, superintendent of schools.

From the College, A. Linscheid, president, and six memberships, subscribed for jointly by 14 teachers, to be assigned to six representatives.

From the High School, A. L. Fentem, principal, H. P. Felix, D. T. Bradshaw, W. A. Hill, Miss Grace Beauchamp, Oscar L. Parker, John W. Whipple, Miss Abbe Horn, Miss McClure and Mrs. William Lee.

From the grade schools, E. E. Emerson, A. D. Bolton.

Counting the subscribers to the College memberships there are 28 of the educational force of the city represented in the membership of the new Chamber. That the interest shown in Ada by these instructors of its youth shall be met half way by an interest from the city in the schools is a determination of those behind the Chamber of Commerce Reorganization movement.

"Such a broad-visioned interest shall not be in vain. In the work and in the councils of the new Ada Chamber of Commerce the word and the thought of the educational

leaders of the city will have a large place. Their interest and their participation is far more important to the organization than their financial support," an official of the Chamber of Commerce said today.

## Green Made Receiver For Oil Properties With Mid-Continent

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Dec. 17.—James A. Green, formerly associated with the Shaffer Oil and Refining company, and previously identified with the Dawes interest in Louisiana, and the Continental and Commercial bank of Chicago, was appointed under a petition filed by the bondholders, by Judge Cottrell, acting for Judge Williams, in the federal court for the eastern district of Oklahoma, sole receiver in equity to take entire charge of the properties of the Mid-Continent Petroleum company and the Mid-Continent Gasoline company.

This action removes the custody of the secured property of the receivers in bankruptcy, under a petition recently filed by the unsecured creditors.

Mr. Green as receiver in equity, will have broad power to operate these companies.

Col. John G. James of Roff was in the city this afternoon en route home from his Garvin county farm. Colonel James does not put much faith in cold weather to exterminate or thin out the weevil tribe, but thinks early planting is the only way to make certain of a crop next year. Colonel James is a pean enthusiast and urges farm owners to plant more of the trees. The yield may be slow in coming but it means something when the trees once begin bearing.

## NEW HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS' PLEA

Twenty-Seven Suggestions Made for Better City; Court House Second.

Twenty-seven constructive suggestions for the betterment of Ada were made by the pupils of the high school in their answers to the questionnaire placed before them in the survey in connection with the Chamber of Commerce reorganization movement.

One hundred and fifty-seven plead for a new high school, 137 for a new court house, 104 want better streets, 63 want a public library. Other suggestions with the number making them are:

Better Lighting System.....47  
Better Police Courts.....13  
Better Railroads.....8More Parks.....27  
Better Laws.....11  
New Post Office.....45Railroad Station.....12  
Grade Crossings.....18  
Educate the Poor.....3Federal Building.....3  
New Churches.....5  
Y. W. C. A.....13City Hall.....5  
Auditorium.....18  
More Swimming Pools.....13Clean Up City.....15  
City Jail.....3  
Community Spirit.....2Better Chamber of Commerce.....20  
Hospital.....17  
Y. M. C. A.....9

More Hotels.....2

The range and value of these suggestions will surprise those who do not realize that future citizens of Ada are thinking of the city's growth quite as much as their elders. Doubtless most or many of these suggestions will be incorporated in the program of work to be built next month as a part of the reorganization movement. It is certain that those suggestions which have to do with the welfare of the youth of the city will be given special attention. This is one of the pledges of the campaign.

Three hundred and fifty-seven pupils of the school answered the questionnaire. Of these, 179 answered the question as to whether they intended to remain in Ada after their education was completed. Of these 133 answered yes, 46 no. This figure, according to the specialists who have been directing the Chamber of Commerce campaign, is an unusually high number of affirmatives. The per centage of young people who plan to leave a town to find their life's opportunity elsewhere is usually from 50 to 60 per cent. Evidently Ada has a hold upon the imaginations and the affections of her young people.

The professions which Ada young men and women are planning to follow as a life work are interesting. A study of them indicates one thing particularly. This is, that if Ada can meet half-way the inclinations of her boys and girls to work and spend their lives here, and can furnish them the opportunity they are seeking, the city has in itself at the present moment the essentials of future prosperity, even of future greatness.

The choice of professions or occupations made by the high school pupils of today is:

Doctor.....3  
Engineer.....23  
Banker.....9  
Merchant.....13  
Teacher.....46  
Stenographer.....15  
Art.....3  
Music Teacher.....16  
Attorney.....11  
Nurse.....6  
Farming.....2  
Seamstress.....1  
Telegrapher.....2  
Scientist.....1  
Geologist.....1  
Civil Service.....1  
Travel.....11  
Bookkeeper.....16  
Housekeeper.....5  
Designer.....1  
Orator.....1  
Traveling Salesman.....1  
Milliner.....2  
Plumber.....2  
Pharmacist.....1  
Machinist.....1  
Mechanic.....6  
Writer.....3  
Teacher of Aesthetic Dancing.....2  
Optimist.....1  
Violin Teacher.....1  
Baseball Player.....1  
Expression Teacher.....1  
Librarian.....1  
Electrician.....1  
Missionary.....2  
Glass Worker.....1  
Millionaire.....2

Commenting today upon the questionnaires, one of the reorganizers said:

"In the study of these ambitions of Ada's young people, all of them laudable, except perhaps the wish to become a millionaire, one thing is notable. But two want to be farmers.

"This is taken to indicate the social unattractiveness of farm life. This would include the foolish inclination of town-people to disregard the qualities and the economic value of the service of the farmer.

Make Farming Attractive.

"Most of all important, is to consider the effect upon the greatest industry of this section of a desire of practically the entire youth of the region to get away from the farm. More must be done than is being done to make farming attractive and profitable if this region is to keep its great farm industry, and it is a part of the duty of the Ada Chamber of Commerce to see that it is done.

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cases where the pupil does not plan to stay in Ada the reason is that 'Ada does not offer me an opportunity in the profession I want to follow.'

"This can be remedied to a large extent by thoughtful planning for the future Ada. It must be remedied if Ada's finest asset—her young men and women—are to be conserved. To 'hitch Ada to its possibilities' fully an opportunity must be given these coming citizens to live and practice their choice profession here in Ada.

"These thoughts and these considerations were the underlying cause for the inclusion of a high school survey in the Chamber of Commerce Reorganization movement. To assist the youth of Ada who have so earnestly and thoughtfully, and in many of its details so helpfully, assisted in the campaign is the firm purpose of the new Ada Chamber of Commerce."

Thanks K. K. K.

I desire to acknowledge with thanks receipt of \$12.50 in payment of floral piece furnished for the Meaders funeral. I shall always be pleased to give the K. K. K. orders the best of attention.—W. E. Pitt, The Ada Greenhouse.. 12-17-1t

Buy Tuberculosis Christmas Seals.



## Santa's Goodies

SANTA'S had his old stove going and the kettle boiling with Christmas Goodies for months and months. And he just sent us boxes and boxes of it for good little boys and girls—and big ones, too.

There are Chocolates, Nougats, Creams—and just the best of every kind direct from Santa's kitchen.

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A splendid program for the entire family. There's a kick in "High Heels." Life's understanding came when high heels went.

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## CHRISTMAS CANDY

Finest line of Bulk and Box candy ever brought to Ada.

20 CENTS POUND

and up. Celebrated brands, Beich's, King's, Blanke's, box and bulk.

Hot Chocolate 10 cents

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## Palm Garden

ONLY ONE WEEK UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Come and do your shopping now---before the last few days' RUSH

Christmas comes but once a year, and is indeed, that signal honor that has been cherished and nurtured for nineteen centuries, one score and one year—honored by the giving of some little token of friendship and family ties. It need not be an expensive gift of any kind for it is not the value in which it is given but the spirit. And to make that spirit everlasting from one Yuletide to another, buy him or her PRACTICAL GIFTS.

## Gift Suggestions

### For Husband, Father and Brother

All-Wool Overcoats For Men	Fine All-Wool Suits For Men	Fine Dress Shoes For Men
\$13.75 to \$34.50	\$14.50 to \$35.00	\$1.95 to \$9.95
For Boys	For Boys	For Boys — All Ages
\$5.95 to \$14.50	\$5.95 to \$12.50	\$1.65 to \$4.95

### OTHER USEFUL AND APPRECIATIVE GIFTS

—Suspenders	—Belts	—Gloves
—Shaving Sets	—Handkerchiefs	—Sweaters
—Underwear	—Ties	—Hats
—Bibles	—Books	—Play Suits

### For Wife, Mother and Sister

New Silk and Wool Dresses 1-5 Off	Dressy All-Wool Coats For Women	Fine Dress Shoes For Women
For Women \$3.95 Up 1-5 Off	\$8.95 Up	\$1.95 to \$8.95
For the Miss	For the Miss	For Misses—All Ages
\$3.95 Up 1-5 Off	\$4.95 Up	\$1.49 to \$4.95

### OTHER PRACTICAL GIFTS

—Underwear	—Kimonos	—House Shoes
—Neckwear	—Gingham Dresses	—Ivory Ware
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Wallace Reid  
Gloria Swanson  
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Bebe Daniels  
Monte Blue  
Wanda Hawley  
Theodore Roberts  
Agnes Ayres  
Theodore Kosloff  
Polly Moran  
Raymond Hatton  
Julia FayeJESSE L. LASKY presents  
Cecil B. DeMille's  
PRODUCTION

"The Affairs of Anatol"



WASHINGTON SCHOOL APPEARS IN PROGRAM

Washington school rendered the following program last Friday night in the High School auditorium:

Cornet solo—Mr. W. A. Hill; accompanist, by Mrs. Hill.

Reading—Geneva Emery.

Piano solo—Loreece Core.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Roy Pannell; accompanist, Mrs. Belcher.

Dance—D. Lee Dean.

Recitation—Mildred Combs.

Piano solo—Hara D. King.

Girls quartet—Alpha Emery, Dorothy Wells, Wilma Morris, and Martha Eileen Pannell.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Take one or two. They are the only pills that give you relief. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

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Strength, endurance, and vitality have been restored to men and women everywhere by taking NUXERRONE, a tonic composed of organic iron with aux venom and other beneficial elements.

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YOU can't do your best when your back and every muscle aches with fatigue. Apply Sloan's Liniment freely, without rubbing, and enjoy a penetrative glow of warmth and comfort.

Good for rheumatism, neuralgia, sprains and strains, aches and pains, sciatica, sore muscles, stiff joints and the after effects of weather exposure.

For forty years pain's enemy. Ask your neighbor. Keep Sloan's handy. At all druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

Sloan's Liniment

Mr. L. B. Cook Tells How Cuticura Healed Brother

"When my brother was three weeks old eczema broke out on his head and face in blisters and then scaled over. His hair became very thin, and he just scratched and cried all the time and could not rest day or night.

"The trouble lasted about eight months. We tried everything we heard of with no results. I read your advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and bought some, and after using three boxes of Cuticura Ointment, with the Cuticura Soap, he was completely healed." (Signed) L. B. Cook, Harrison, Georgia.

Cuticura Soap daily and Cuticura Ointment occasionally, prevent pimples or other eruptions. They are a pleasure to use, as is also Cuticura Talcum, a fascinating fragrance for perfuming the skin.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura, Dept. H, Malden 45, Mass." Sold everywhere. Beware of cheap imitations. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

STOMACH TROUBLES

Indiana Lady Had Something Like Indigestion Until She Took Black-Draught, Then Got All Right.

Seymour, Ind.—"Some time ago I had a sick spell, something like indigestion," writes Mrs. Clara Peacock, of Route 6, this place. "I would get very sick at the stomach, and spit or vomit, especially in the mornings.

"Then I began the use of Theodor's Black-Draught, after I had tried other medicines. The Black-Draught relieved me more than anything that I took, and I got all right.

"I haven't found anything better than Black-Draught when suffering from trouble caused by constipation. It is easy and sure. Can be taken in small doses or large as the case calls for.

"When you have sick stomach, indigestion, headache, constipation, or other disagreeable symptoms, take Black-Draught to help keep your system free from poison.

"Theodor's Black-Draught is made from purely vegetable ingredients, acts in a gentle, natural way, and has no bad after-effects. It may be safely taken by young or old.

"Get a package of Black-Draught today. Insist on the genuine Theodor's. At your druggist's. NC-143

RIOTS OCCUR IN MANY CITIES IN PACKING HOUSE STRIKES



Major Burton urging striking packing house employees in Kansas City to refrain from rioting and violence.

The strike of employees of the leading packing houses in the plants of the companies in many cities has already been marked by rioting and bloodshed. Seven persons were shot in one riot in Chicago. At Kansas City strike leaders have been urging the men to refrain from violence.

NEWSNOTES FROM MOVIELAND

The new Tom Mix looks like a tenderfoot, talks like a tenderfoot, but swears (oh, not really of course) that he "ain't no tenderfoot." Here is the new Tom Mix as he appears today in pictures.

The famous old sombrero has been replaced by a shiny, new, two-quart hat. Gone are the chaps, the knife-edged trousers, taking their place. A boiled shirt has routed the old flannel one and a Piccadilly collar rides where the red bandana used to tie.

Tom is still one of the treat 'em rough heroes, only now he ropes them from a motor car instead of a horse and his Colt barks from his hip pocket instead of from a leather belt.

Ten Years for Mary

This fall is an interesting anniversary for Mary Miles Minter. Ten years ago she made her stage debut in "The Little Rebel" with the Farnum brothers.

Want Charlie Brought Back

When Charlie Chaplin arrived in Los Angeles the other day it was discovered that he brought back fifteen misfit suits that a London tailor invigiled him into ordering, twenty pairs of English suspenders, tearfully and wonderfully dyed, his French decoration, nobby new shoes, hat and cane, and trunks full of souvenirs and gifts—just little things.

Ann Meets a King.

A queen of the movies met the king of the Danes recently when Ann Forrest, charming Paramount actress, was presented at court in Copenhagen to King Christian of Denmark.

Miss Forrest, who recently completed her work in John S. Robertson's Paramount picture, "Love's Boomerang," which Mr. Robertson produced in Europe, is a native of



Tom Mix, gentleman.

Denmark, and had gone home on a visit to her home. Because of her prominent position in motion pictures in such productions as "The Prince Chap," "The Faith Healer" and others, she has become one of the most famous daughters of Denmark, and she was not long in Copenhagen before an opportunity was created for her to be presented at court.

Two Barrels of Salt Kept Indian Office at Muskogee

(By the Associated Press)

MUSKOGEE, Dec. 17.—How Muskogee owes its present condition largely to two barrels of salt is told by Clarence W. Turner, a pioneer of the old Creek Nation and now a resident of this city.

It all happened about 50 years ago, Mr. Turner says, when Muskogee was just a dot on the prairie. The Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad had just been built, the first railroad to enter either Oklahoma or Texas. The railroad created here a small town whose trade territory, however, extended as far as Fort Sill, the Sac and Fox country, Tishomingo, Pauls Valley and the surrounding country.

Each Indian tribe in those days had its own agent, but after Muskogee became more accessible thru the medium of the new railroad, the government consolidated all the separate agencies in the Union Agency here and placed George W. Ingalls of Springfield, Ill., in charge.

This was about the middle of the 70's as Mr. Turner recalls. A difference arose between Mr. Ingalls and local merchants and Superintendent Ingalls decided to move the agency to Checotah. A contract was let for drilling a well at Checotah preparatory to moving the agency there.

Wanted Agency Retained.

Soon after this step was taken Muskogee merchants realized that removal of the agency would cause Muskogee to lose the source of its commercial business which had grown to large proportions with the establishment of the consolidated agency. The business men named a committee to confer with Superintendent Ingalls in an effort to effect a compromise which would retain the agency for this city. An

agreement was reached. Then the question of how to get the authorities at Washington to rescind their approval of the proposed change, arose.

After much discussion, it was decided that salt should be placed in the well being drilled on the proposed site of the new agency at Checotah. A report that salt had been found in the water would then be sent to Washington, according to the plan. It was hoped that this report would result in a reversal of the order to move the agency.

A few days later, two large barrels of salt, standing on the front porch of the city's main store, were loaded on a wagon and left town in the direction of Checotah.

Soon Washington was advised that the new well was useless, the water being so salty that neither man nor beast could use it. The information had the desired effect and the agency remained in Muskogee.

Clara Smith's Cousin Admits Shooting of Arizona Man Friday

(By the Associated Press)

GLOBE, Ariz., Dec. 17.—Miss Anna Smith, who shot an instantly killed A. L. Christensen, an automobile dealer, in her room yesterday, admitted last night she is a cousin of Clara Smith Hamon, who shot Jake Hamon of Oklahoma.

The killing of Christensen, according to a statement by Sheriff Kasey, grew out of the jilting of the Smith woman by Christensen last November, when he was married in Phoenix to Miss Florence M. Rooney, of San Diego, Calif.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

NEW COURSE OPENED FOR RESERVE STAFF

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 17.—A correspondence course for officers of the organized reserve is to be offered beginning on or about January 1, according to an announcement at the headquarters of the 95th Division here. The course will be for officers of infantry, cavalry, field artillery and coast artillery, the announcement says.

"In general terms it may be said that there will be a so-called 'Course A' embodying numerous sub-courses in the various subjects," the announcement says. "There will be a 'Course A' for each arm. For example 'Course A' for infantry will comprise sub-courses in weapons, organization, musketry, map reading, fortifications, scouting and patrolling, communications, marches, outposts, hygiene, etc. Detailed information will be furnished each student with the first lesson of the course."

"A reserve officer, once enrolled, will be expected to complete the course," the announcement continues, "although satisfactory evidence of proficiency in any sub-course will excuse him from that particular part of the course. In the beginning each course will be confined to a maximum of 75 hours work."

"It is highly desirable that reserve officers avail themselves of the advantages of this instruction," the announcement states. "It will keep him in touch with the essential details of military progress and development, and will be an excellent preparatory course for attendance at the special service schools which have been opened for reserve officers."

"In order that reserve officers fulfill the purpose for which they were appointed, it is essential that they receive sufficient training and instruction in time of peace to qualify them for the performance of duty in time of emergency, and it is hoped that a large number of officers will enroll."

The announcement instructs officers seeking to re-enroll to submit their names to the Commanding General, Eight Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, so that the application will reach that officer before December 30.

FREEDOM TO BE HOLIDAY REWARD FOR PRISONERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Attorney General Daugherty today indicated that a large number of so-called political prisoners will be released from prison before Christmas. The Attorney General said he had completed digests of the cases of 197 political prisoners and that within a few days, where "the facts justify," it is probable many of the prisoners will be released.

The Attorney General would not say whether or not Eugene V. Debs was included among those who are likely to be released.

The Attorney General said he would discuss the cases with the president in a few days and would make his recommendations. He pointed out that the release of the prisoners would not necessarily entail presidential pardon and he was emphatic in stating that it was probable that many of the prisoners would not get full pardon.

FIERCE FIRING BREAKS ALONG BELFAST ROAD

BELFAST, Dec. 17.—Fierce firing broke out at the Newtownards Road Section in East Belfast today. The firing was so intense that tram car service was suspended. Lewis guns were used against the rioters by the crown forces. An employee of the city tram service was shot dead and at least six persons are known to have been wounded.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

STRIFE TEARING WORLD ASUNDER

Sherwood Eddy Shows How Humanity Is Split By Sectional Wars.

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—One fact divides humanity today—the greatest war and it has left the world torn asunder by three great cleavages and facing three challenging problems, Dr. G. Sherwood Eddy, of New York, told the annual meeting of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America here tonight. The subject was "The Church and International Relations."

"We are separated by national, racial and class strife, every nation demanding self determination with a new and intensified nationalism and patriotism, every race demanding its equal and rightful place in the brotherhood of man, every class demanding economic freedom and a more abundant life," he said.

"We must return to the dominant uniting force of a mighty love. The church must reassert its supernatural character."

"Two forces are contending in the church today—the centrifugal and the centripetal, the divisive and uniting forces, the national and supranational. The divisive forces during the last nineteen centuries have been an exclusive nationalism and religious sectarianism."

Europe in Bitterness.

"Europe lies today divided, impoverished by the great war, yet in bitterness, hatred and suspicion is drifting back to war again, unless we can now find means to prevent it. By the very terms of the treaty, Germany is becoming the sweatshop of the world, threatening the economic situation of Europe. Frank Vanderlip told us in Europe that only a great spiritual revival could save the world. Now is the time to prevent future war. In the light of the mighty sacrifice that was made, we must resolve 'that these dead shall not have died in vain.'"

"As I returned from Europe it was with the conviction that modern war as a means of settling international disputes is a monstrous moral wrong for the following reasons:

"1. Because of the inevitable wholesale destruction of human life. Ten millions of the flower of the world's youth lie buried on the battlefields of Europe.

"2. Because of the inevitable wholesale destruction of non-combatants. Thirty millions of non-combatants have already been killed by those five camp followers of modern war—further war, revolution, hunger, famine and disease.

"3. Because of the enormous material loss, the waste and destruction of wealth, and the burden of debt left upon the nations which have increased ten-fold by the last war.

"4. Because war mortgages the future in the ever-increasing race for armaments. Now that Germany is disarmed, Europe has increased its annual expenditure for war, compared to the pre-war standard, three times.

"5. Because war inevitably engenders hatred, cruelty, reprisals, atrocities and counter-atrocities.

"6. Because the propaganda of modern warfare inevitably victimizes the people on both sides, and leads to loss of truth and the demoralization of both victor and vanquished alike. We must be told an unbroken stream of enemy atrocities; every unfavorable fact about ourselves and our allies must be silenced.

"7. Because modern warfare, as conducted in the last war, is human and unchristian.

"A generation ago the church faced the moral issue of slavery and put an end to it. Today we must face the greater wrong of war and find its moral equivalent in peace."

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**Financial Aid For Mine Strikers May Be Carried Along**

(By the Associated Press)  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 17.—Financial support of the Colorado mine strikers to "the extent of the international's ability will be continued," President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America declared here this morning. "There has been no change in policy by the international," Mr. Lewis said.  
Striking miners of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company have not been ordered back to work, and the United Mine Workers of America and "rendering all possible aid in opposing the reduction of their wages." International President John L. Lewis announced here this morning.

W. J. Rickets, who lives south of Conway, was a passenger to Pittsburgh Saturday afternoon. He states that he is putting in a saw mill and will manufacture raw hide lumber.

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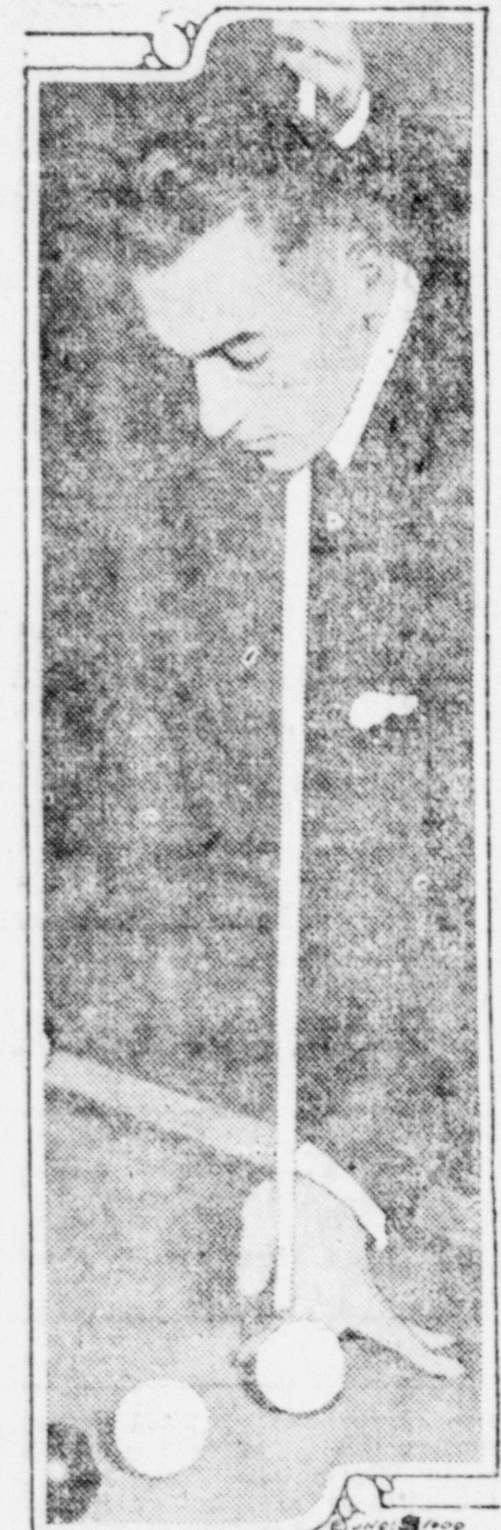
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Jake Schaefer Jr., who recently dethroned Willie Hoppe as world's 18.2 ballline billiard champion, has started on an extensive tour with Roger Conti, French star, as his partner. Conti played in the international tourney, just ended in which Schaefer wrested the title from Hoppe.

**THRILLING FIRE RESCUE SHOWN IN "HIGH HEELS"**

Everybody knows next door. Everybody knows him—or thinks they know him.  
But they don't—or he wouldn't be the old-grouch-next-door.  
He's eccentric and mean and cranky—and won't let the children run across his lawn. All in all he's just about the worst neighbor it is possible to imagine.  
And you swear by all that is holy that if his house burned down and you could save him, you'd let the old crank crackle in the flames. But you wouldn't. You just think so. That's just what Christine Trevor, always said she would do.  
Joshua Barton was the old man next door. He was everything a good neighbor shouldn't be. And Christine hated him.  
Then one night came the test. The Barton house caught fire. The old man, a hopeless invalid, the only one in the place.  
His cry for help shrieked above the roar of the flames. There was no indecision—no hesitation—Christine Trevor—the spoiled flapper, who never did a willing favor for anyone in her eighteen spoiled years, ran into the blazing home.  
A little girl, dragging a prostrate form of an old grouch, came out just as the fire-engines stopped in front.  
And the girl next-door learned that the old grouch wasn't an old grouch at all. That he was just a dear, sweet old man, who needed some love to come into his wrinkled heart.  
Gladys Walton makes an adorable Christine in her latest Universal feature "High Heels," which comes to the McSwain theatre today, while the distinguished actor and director, William Worthington, is the old-grouch-next-door.

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**LODGES**

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—R. W. White, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Sec'y.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1375 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

A. O. U. W.—Lodge No. 40 meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month.—J. B. Emory, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—John Thrasher, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26 Roy. at Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—A. Stauffer, H. P.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—M. F. Manville, E. C.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—P. L. Finley, Chancellor; Commander; J. W. Westbrook, K. R. S.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of Southern Mercantile Co., Bankrupts. In Bankruptcy. No. 2517.

Order Calling First Meeting of Creditors, etc.

At Ardmore, in said district, on the 15th day of Dec., 1921, before R. McMillan, Referee in Bankruptcy.

The above entitled matter having been referred to me, one of the Referees in said Court of Bankruptcy, it is now ordered that the first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt be held at the law offices of the Referee in the city of Ardmore, Carter County, State of Oklahoma, on the 28th day of Dec., 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time a trustee will be elected and such other business transacted as may come before said meeting.

It is further ordered that the Ada Evening News, a newspaper published in and of general circulation in Pontotoc County, the county of the bankrupt's residence, be and the same is hereby designated as the paper in which shall be published all notices and orders required by law to be published in this proceeding.

It is further ordered that the bankrupt above named be and they are hereby ordered and directed to personally appear before the undersigned referee at the first meeting herein called and then and there submit to an examination touching their bankruptcy.

R. McMILLAN,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

**"MOP-UP" SQUADS GARNER IN LAST NUMBER IN QUOTA**

Ten of the 15 addition members pledged or underwritten by the team workers at the noon luncheon yesterday to make the membership of the reorganized Chamber of Commerce 400 have been reported today, and the teams who pledged them are working consistently to sign the small balance of five.

There is no question already that the drive has gone over the top. Sufficient memberships are already assured from groups or concerns to make a dozen more. Three more memberships from the High School are assured.

To all efforts and purposes the membership of the Ada Chamber of Commerce is today 410. That it will go above this, particularly in the clean-up drive which is a part of next month's continuation work, there is no question.

Ada's Chamber of Commerce Reorganization movement is an unequalled success.  
Five hundred American companies have established factories in Canada.

**THIS PRODIGY IS IN HIGH SCHOOL AT 10**



De Vere Rowan.

Tomah, Wisconsin, lays claim to the youngest high school pupil in the United States in the person of De Vere Rowan, ten years old, who is astounding his teachers and classmates alike with his mature mind. Prominent educators who have heard of the boy marvel at his ability.

**LINDENFIELD IS**

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many was seeking economic and military control of Latin America. Arriving in Jaurez, August 23, under guard, Altendorf said that acting under commission of American insurance companies, a German, whose name he gave, was the perpetrator of the Kingsland, N. J., and "Black Tom" explosions of munitions early in 1917. He was refused admittance to the United States until he could show his proof of American citizenship, and later was fired by the United States as an enemy agent.

The last reports of him were in September, 1920, when he made his escape from the Mexican officer guarding him at Jaurez and about two weeks later was arrested in San Antonio and released on bail on a charge of having illegally entered the United States.

At the department of justice in Washington shortly after the arrest of Altendorf it was admitted that he had at one time held credentials as an agent of the department of justice, but it was stated that these later were revoked.

Was Radical Representative.  
Lindenfield, Mr. Burns explained, was the representative in New York of radical political papers and also was one of the representatives of Lenin and the Third Internationals. He was recommended to Burns Detective agency as the man who knew most about the Wall Street explosion, and Mr. Burns declared, this had been borne out by careful checking up of the man.

"Lindenfield," said Mr. Burns, "is the only man we know in the world who knows all about it." For this reason, Mr. Burns continued, Lindenfield was sent abroad to get the necessary information to enable the arrest of the participants in the bombing plot and was to have received the \$50,000 reward for these disclosures.

He was described by Mr. Burns as a highly educated and intellectual man of prominent radical tendencies although he did not himself advocate violent measures. He is about 26 years of age and has a wife and two children in New York. He went by the name of William Inde in this country. Mr. Burns said, not taking out his first citizenship papers. Effort was made

to obtain his second papers for him before he went abroad. He is a Pole by birth.

Chickasha.—Arthur Edwards was arrested this week charged with counterfeiting. He was bound over to the Federal grand jury in January. Edwards is alleged to have counterfeited a \$1 bill and passed it as a \$10 bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri valleys—generally fair and much colder; some portions snow after Wednesday.

Sol Arthur was a passenger to Sulphur this afternoon.

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FAMOUS SISTERS REUNITED ON SCREEN



Lillian Gish, left, and Dorothy, in a touching scene in their latest picture. The two sisters, who are now appearing together in a picture after a separation of years, are well known to movie followers, who are again.

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## NAVY COMMITTEE TAKES UP RATIO MATTERS TODAY

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—France continued today before the naval committee of 15 to present her case to naval strength and, according to British spokesmen, did not recede from her "claim for the same ratio as Japan."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The naval committee of 15 of the arms conference resumed consideration today of the French and Italian naval ratio problem, with but little prospect that the day would see any material results in the way of advancing towards an agreement among the five powers on relative naval strengths and reductions of fleets in harmony with that already reached by the "big three" naval countries.

The committee again was entrenched behind its rule of silence adopted yesterday, and no further information was available as to the exact nature of the statement the French group is making to France's need in naval tonnage on the basis of her national security. Nor was further light available on the French project to build ten 35,000 ton capital ships in the decade 1925 to 1935.

Despite the secrecy rule of the committee, it was known that presentation of the French case continued today.

## CONSCRIPTION OF MEN FAVORED BY WEEKS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Secretary of War Weeks is in favor of the mobilization of men, money and manufacturing under a conscription law in the event of future wars.

Such a course, the war secretary declared in an address last night at the second annual reunion of the war industrial board, would preclude profiteering and slacker lists.

## DRUMMOND DRUG STORE IS NOW IN NEW HANDS

Lee Drummond has sold his drug store on East Main street to F. H. Wozencraft who is coming here from Seminole, Oklahoma. The deal was completed late Friday evening, and Mr. Wozencraft is in charge today.

Mr. Wozencraft is an experienced druggist and is pleased with his new location. He says he is delighted to get in a real city like Ada and expects to enter into the civic affairs. His family will move here as soon as arrangements can be made. Mr. Drummond announces that he will probably go to Fort Smith.

Miss Minnie West of this city left yesterday for Roff where she will continue her work as pianist in the Empress theatre.

## ACTION FOR INJUNCTION COURT LAW IS PENDING

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 17.—Suit will be filed soon to enjoin the enforcement of the Kansas industrial court law on the grounds that it violates the state and federal constitution by attempting to empower the courts to fix wages and working conditions and by making an innocent strike and criminal conspiracy, said the first official announcement, which was made here today, of the method adopted by the international union of the Mine Workers of America for its test of the Kansas law.

Henryetta.—The Okmulgee County Medical Association has elected the following officers: Dr. Ira W. Robertson of Henryetta, president; Dr. L. D. Conn of Norris, vice-president; Dr. Franklin D. Howell of Okmulgee, secretary-treasurer; Dr. Fred S. Watson of Okmulgee, censor.

## MODEL STORE LEAD WITH CONTRIBUTE TO EMPTY STOCKING

At least some of the poor kiddies of the city are to know the joy of Christmas it is evidenced by contributions to the empty stocking fund started yesterday. On the first day \$16.43 was contributed to the fund by people who were willing to give something to add to the joy of the poor kiddies, who will have no other way of appreciating Christmas.

This money is turned over to Mrs. Orville Sneed, in charge of the local charities organization, and will be spent as she sees fit. Stockings were placed at Stevens-Wilson's store, Simpson's, Moser's, the Model, Shaw's and at the News office. More are to be put up Monday and everybody is asked to help make it a success. The fund will be open until Friday night.

To the Model Clothiers goes the credit for most of the first day's contributions. Through the activities of this store \$14.00 of the amount was contributed. The stocking placed near the door attracted considerable attention and the willing clerks were kind enough to remind customers as they passed out.

Other stores were of considerable aid in helping start the fund. Heartily co-operation by the stores named will mean much to the joy of many poor children's Christmas. Personal contributions of any amount should be sent to the News with name of giver.

## DISTRICT COUNCIL OF ENDEAVOR AT ATOKA

The District Council of the Coal District Christian Endeavor Union held its regular quarterly business meeting last Sunday afternoon at Atoka. This was the first meeting of the Council since the elections of new officers at the convention held here in Ada last month.

The meeting was well attended by the members of the council, and much time was spent in going over plans for the work for the coming year. The officers realize that they are going to have some difficulties to meet in some phases of the work for the year, but they are hoping, nevertheless, to make this district show up better in the Christian Endeavor work than it ever has before.

The district officers attending from this place were Miss Mollie Russell, vice president, and Miss Rowena Moore, superintendent of missions.

## BOY SCOUT BAND WILL GIVE CONCERT SUNDAY

Members of the Ada High School Boy Scout band will go to Allen tomorrow afternoon for a concert in the interest of the county scouting extension movement. Those who have volunteered cars for the trip have been asked by Scout Executive Miller to have them at Scout headquarters at 1:15 Sunday afternoon.

Prof. A. L. Fentem attended a meeting of the representatives of high schools comprising the southwestern conference, held in Oklahoma City today.

Miss Willie Terry has gone to Dallas, Tex., where she will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents.



## SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIAL

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# Church News

### Epworth League.

Subject—"The House of God the Sanctuary."  
Scripture Lesson—Psalm 73:16-28  
—Lottie Faust.  
Luke 4:16-22—Burgess Steed.  
Acts 16:13-15—Jim Statler.  
Prayer by president of league—Kathryn Taylor.  
Introduction of topic—Leader.  
Four church extension stories—Leaguers.  
Hymn—"I love Thy Kingdom Lord."  
Mission Study—Mrs. Lee.  
Benediction.

### Church of Christ.

Sunday school 10 a. m.  
Communion services 11 a. m.  
Young people's meeting 7 p. m.  
You are invited to attend all these services.

### Young Peoples' Meeting, Church of Christ.

Subject: The Physical and Spiritual life of Man.  
Leader—Robert Moore.  
Discuss the physical life of man—William Coe, Mrs. Blue.  
Show how the physical life of man is lengthened by righteousness—Evert Cunningham.  
Tell how the spiritual or inward life of man is tested and tried—Blanche McMinn.  
Discuss the regeneration of man. How is he regenerated?—Mabel Aden.  
Summary—Bro. Jim Watson.  
Concluding Song No. 13.  
Benediction—Leamen Wallace.

### St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

Fourth Sunday in Advent.  
7:30 a. m. Holy Communion.  
9:45 a. m. church school.  
11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon.  
RICHARD ALLEN HATCH, Rector.

### Union Christian Endeavor.

Christian Endeavor program to be given at Center, Sunday, Dec. 18 at 3 p. m. by Endeavorers of the Christian and Presbyterian churches.  
Leader—Eddie Mae Horn.  
Topic—Our C. E. pledge.  
Prayer circle.  
Song.  
Scripture.  
Repeat pledge in concert.

What is the C. E. pledge and is it compulsory?—Don Evans.  
What are the standards set up in the pledge?—Miss Moore.  
How do we promise to do these things?—Miss Russell.  
Does the pledge create new duties?—Violet Knight.  
Solo—Mr. Oscar Parker.  
How shall we keep our promise of daily Bible reading?—Clarence Morrison.

How shall we keep our promise of taking part in the C. E. meeting?—Jeanette Bobbitt.  
How shall we keep our promise with regard to our duties in the society?—Ora Ewing.  
How shall we keep our promise with reference to the church?—Dr. N. P. Patterson.

Conference session for committees.  
Song.  
Business.  
Mizpah.

### First Baptist Church.

Our Sunday school meets tomorrow at 9:45. We had 513 last Sunday which was an increase over the Sunday before but not yet up to normalcy. Let us plan now for every one to be in his or her place tomorrow at the appointed hour.  
The Men's Bible Class will meet at the McSwain theatre promptly at 9:30. Dr. Laird is president of the class and Mr. L. A. Ellison is the capable teacher. All men are cordially invited.

The pastor will preach the tenth sermon on the general subject, "Baptist Beliefs" tomorrow morning at the 11 o'clock hour when the subject will be, "What is a Church According to the New Testament." It will be a joy and a delight to greet a large congregation such as we have been having throughout this series of sermons. Mrs. T. H. Granger will sing "Abide With Me," by Liddle.

The Juniors will meet at 6:15. Misses Vera Grant and Rose Eliff will be in charge. They had about forty present last Sunday.

The Intermediate will meet at 6:15 with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fullerton in charge. They had nearly forty present last Sunday.

The Blue and Gold B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15. Mr. and Mrs. Lee F. Smith will lead them. Miss Verna Shirley is president.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15. Mr. Bernard Howard is president. Let us have a good attendance at this meeting.

The evening service will begin at 7:15 instead of 7:30. Let us notice this and be on time at all the services. The pastor will appeal for unsaved persons to give themselves to Christ. The Lord has graciously blessed us by saving some one at almost every Sunday evening service. You are cordially invited to come and we will do our best to do you good and not evil at all.

CLYDE CALHOUN MORRIS, Pastor.

### Presbyterian C. E.

Topic—Prayer.  
Scripture—Matt. 7:7-8. Phs. 4:6-7.

Song service.  
What is prayer?—Earl McKendree.

What part has prayer in making duty clear?—Don Evans.  
How can we get more prayer in our societies?—Wilma Chilcutt.

How does prayer help us through our difficulties?—Robert Dickerson.  
What is the value of sentence prayers in C. E.?—Jeanette Ebbitt.

Why should each member take part in prayer?—Inez Love.  
Prayers—Members.

Business.  
Mizpah.  
C. E. members do not forget to memorize a verse of scripture.

### Christian Church.

9:45 a. m. Bible school.  
11 a. m. morning worship.  
3 p. m. Junior and Intermediate C. E. meetings.  
6:30 p. m. Senior C. E. society meeting.

7:30 p. m. evening service.  
A cordial invitation is extended to all. Come and join us in our services. We offer you a hand of welcome and word of hearty greeting.  
H. M. WOODS, Pastor.

### First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday, December 18.  
9 a. m. Intermediate Christian Endeavor society.  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Miles C. Grigsby, superintendent.  
11 a. m. preaching by the pastor.  
2 p. m. Light Bearers Band.  
6 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.

7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. Monday, December 19.  
3 p. m. Senior Woman's Auxiliary the church.

Wednesday, December 21.  
7 p. m. prayer meeting. This will conclude the study on the revised Faith. Every member ought to be present.

A cordial welcome is extended to every one to attend the worship at the Presbyterian church.

Let every member remember the slogan adopted last Sunday: "Two Hundred and Fifty present on Sunday, Christmas Day, December 25."

### Methodist Church.

Sunday school begins at 9:45 with Prof. R. S. Newcomb, superintendent in charge.

Preaching at the 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. hours by the pastor. Junior Missionary Society meets at 2 p. m.  
Epworth League meets at 6:30 p. m.

All are invited to attend these services.

J. H. BALL, Pastor.

### Missionary Report.

Report of R. E. L. Ford, city missionary, for October and November.  
Sermons and addresses 13.  
Public prayers 30.

Sick homes visited 54.  
Additions to First Baptist church through solicitation 8.

Assisted in one Sunday school rally.

Assisted in every member canvass in church budget.

Assisted Rev. C. C. Morris in organizing a Baptist church at Latta.

Renter a room for Mrs. Getta in Portland Park. Rent \$7.50 per month, paid by Business Men's Bible class of McSwain theatre.

Made five benches, costing \$6.90 which was paid by the Women's organization of the Baptist church.

Organized a Sunday school class in Portland Park with an average attendance of 40.

Sick at hospital visited 3.

Funerals conducted 1.

Received from field. \$55.00.